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ACT OF INCORPORATION.

CHAPTER DCCXX.

An Act to incorporate "The House of the Evangelists," in the city of New York. Passed May 6th, 1870.

The people of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

Section 1. William L. Andrews, William C. Barrett, Edward B. Benjamin, Riley A. Brick, W. Harman Brown, James M. Brown, Rufus M. Brundige, George A. Crocker, Heman Dyer, D.D., Anson G. P. Dodge, John H. Earl, Jonathan Edgar, Charles C. Hastings, John Pierpont Morgan, Adon Smith, Jr., Rev. Stephen H. Tyng, Jr., and Adolphus F. Warburton, and such others as now are or hereafter may be associated with them, as the House of the Evangelists, in the city of New York, are hereby constituted a body corporate by the name of "The House of the Evangelists," in the city of New York, for the purpose of the reception, boarding, education, and employment of suitable persons as missionaries of the Gospel.

SECTION 2. The said corporation shall have power to make and adopt a constitution, by-laws, rules, and regulations for the government of its business; the management of its property and affairs; the choice, powers, and duties of its officers and agents; and from time to time to repeal or alter such constitution, by-laws, rules, and regulations.

Section 3. The said corporation may take hy devise, purchase, and hold, or convey, or lease, any real or personal estate for its use and purposes, provided such real estate shall not exceed the value of one hundred thousand dollars; and said corporation may issue bonds, and may execute mortgages upon their real estate to an amount not exceeding two-thirds the value of such real estate and the improvements thereon.

Section 4. Said corporation shall possess the general powers, and be subject to the restrictions and liabilities prescribed in the third title of the eighteenth chapter of the first part of the Revised Statutes.

SECTION 5. This act shall take effect immediately.

STATE OF NEW YORK, OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE. \\ \} ss.

I have compared the preceding with the original law on file in this office, and do hereby certify that the same is a correct transcript therefrom, and of the whole of said original law.

Given under my hand and seal of office, at the city of Albany, this thirteenth day of June, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy.

D. WILLERS, JR.,

Deputy Secretary of State.

LAWS, 1872, CHAP. 806, PAGE 1901.

An Act to amend an Act entitled, "An Act to incorporate the House of the Evangelists in the city of New York," passed May 6, 1870.

Passed May 21, 1872. The people of the State of New York represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows ?

SECTION 1. The third section of the Act entitled, "An Act to incorporate the House of the Evangelists in the city of New York," passed May 6, 1870, is hereby amended by striking out the word "one," and inserting the word "five" in place thereof.

Section 2. This act shall take effect immediately.



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1873.

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The Third Annual Report of the Board of Trustees of the Bouse of the Evangelists.

The Board of Trustees, in presenting their third Annual Report, do not need to explain the purpose of their Institution, or to plead its cause.

The House of the Evangelists is well established and its importance conceded. The principles upon which it is founded have been vindicated by experience. The usefulness of the House is being proved more conspicuously every day, in the effect upon its students of the course of training which has been adopted, and in the immediate and widely increasing results of its missionary labors.

Forty Evangelists have been connected with the Institution since the date of the last Annual Report; a large proportion of them young men of vigorous mind and good promise, and three Christian women, already of some missionary experience, seeking to perfect themselves in the work.

THE COURSE OF INSTRUCTION.

While they remain students of the House, the Evangelists are instructed in such branches of learning as will be practically useful in their calling.

The regular course consists of the Historical, Topical and Exegetical study of the English Bible, Sys-

tematic Divinity and Homiletics, Church History, Church Polity and Liturgics, Christian Evidences, and Mental and Moral Philosophy, and Rhetoric; besides which an optional course of Latin, Greek and Hebrew is open to those who desire to compete for full literary examinations.

During the past year the students have had the advantage of lessons in Elocution from Professor Taverner; of valuable historical lectures on the period of the Reformation, from the Rev. Dr. E. H. Canfield; and of an interesting course of instruction in Anatomy, Physiology, and Hygiene, from Dr. Howard Pinkney—who has generously spared time from an exacting profession to prepare lectures expressly for our students, which he has illustrated for them with costly experiments. For this contribution of practical science to their stock of divinity the young men are greatly indebted, and the Board cannot but express their high appreciation of the disinterested service which has been thus rendered them.

To all this must be added the succession of evening lectures delivered last winter before the Night College, in which practical thoughts and suggestions in the various departments of Christian work were contributed from some of the most experienced and skillful teachers and preachers in the land. Many thanks are due to the distinguished lecturers who, with warm expressions of interest, lent their aid to promote the training of our Christian workers, and thus gave practical evidence of their sympathy with the cause of missionary education, which the House of the Evangelists represents. The Board feel assured that, holding in view the end for which our young men are trained, no pains have been spared, and no oppor-

tunity lost, to render the education of the students of the House as enlightened, liberal and complete as the circumstances of the case will admit; and they are encouraged by the past to expect the continual aid of able helpers in the work which they have undertaken.

In remembering their indebtedness to many friends, the Board would not fail to make grateful acknowledgment to the Protestant Episcopal Society for the Promotion of Evangelical Knowledge, for a large and valuable donation of books bestowed at Christmas upon each student of the Institution, as the nucleus of a Theological and Devotional library.

DISCOURAGEMENTS OVERCOME.

The friends of the House, in reviewing the year, have peculiar reason for congratulation at its success, considering the discouraging circumstances under which the year opened.

The absence of the Rev. Mr. Ames in Europe during the most important part of the year, from January until July, necessitated important changes in the administration of the House. Temporary instructors had to be secured, and a new distribution of duties effected, which was more or less experimental. Through the added labors, however, of the Rev. B. B. Leacock, and the kind aid of volunteers, among whom were the Rev. D. D. Smith and the Rev. W. W. Sever, the entire course of instruction was continued to the end of the term, and the examinations in June were fully equal to the standard requirements of the House. Moreover, the number of candidates for admission

so rapidly increased during the spring, that it was found necessary to provide for the increase, by renting a building adjoining the one already occupied, and larger than the first by an additional story, so that now our accommodations are more than double those of one year ago, and yet the rooms are filled, and new students are continually seeking admission.

Before the opening of the fall term, Mr. Ames returned from Europe, with renewed strength and much valuable experience—the result of intelligent observations while abroad—all of which accrues to the benefit of the Institution.

REORGANIZATION.—THE FAMILY.

Since his return the administration of the House has been reorganized. There are now three distinct departments, each separately administered.

First, the Family, with its internal relations, intercourse, and fellowship, under the authority of the Head of the House, the Rev. G. W. Ridgely, a gentleman, whose mental gifts and standing in the Church, whose culture and experience fit him to lead the minds and develop the character of the young men by those insensible influences which can only be felt in the daily movements of the household. Already, during the few months of his administration, the character of the House has been sensibly modified, its harmony promoted, its moral tone elevated. The Board take great satisfaction in reflecting upon the advantage, which has been gained for the House in the presence of its much honored Head.

DEPARTMENT OF INSTRUCTION.

The second department is the Department of Instruction, administered by the Dean and Faculty—the Dean, the Rev. John G. Ames, being well suited, with his peculiar gifts in teaching and discipline, to direct the general course of study.

The allotment of the several branches of teaching is as follows:

FACULTY.

REV. JOHN G. AMES, A.M.,

Dean and Professor of Systematic Divinity and Greek Exegesis.

REV. B. B. LEACOCK, A.M.,

Professor of English Exegesis, Lecturer on Mission Work, and Superintendent of Missions.

REV. U. T. TRACY,

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REV. G. W. RIDGELY,

Professor of Mental and Moral Philosophy and Rhetoric.

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Instructor in Hebrew.

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Instructor in Evidences of Christianity.

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Instructor in Homiletics.

HOWARD PINKNEY, M.D.,

Lecturer on Anatomy, Physiology, etc.

PROF. JOHN BERGE,

Instructor in Music.

A professor of Church Polity and Liturgics, it is hoped, will soon be numbered with the present

faculty. Meantime, instruction is given in these studies by voluntary lectures.

THE MISSION WORK.

The third department—the Mission Work of the House—has been placed under the able supervision of the Rev. B. B. Leacock, with the title of Superintendent of Missions. The Superintendent assigns the young men to their several fields of labor, visits them from time to time in their missions, instructs and counsels them in their work, and receives the reports, weekly, of their various services.

Renewed efficiency has been secured in the separate departments of the House by this systematic distribution. The advantage of the new arrangement is felt throughout; especially, perhaps, in the Department of Missions. The work of the young Evangelists is now brought under careful inspection. The mistakes of inexperience are, as far as possible, prevented.

In all the missions which are controlled by the Institution, the best methods of Christian working which have been discovered are at once applied, under the direction of one practical mind. The work is summed up and started afresh on every Monday morning, when the Evangelists assemble to meet their Superintendent. The labors of the preceding day and week are passed in review and criticised, with new suggestions; after which the students are practised in exercises of extempore speaking, exhortation, and discussion, still under the criticism of their leader. The spirit of all these exercises is constantly

touched and moved with charity and devotion, and it is impossible but that through such means the efficient development of the students, as missionaries in training, should be greatly promoted. A single specimen of the monthly reports of the Superintendent, to the Board, will perhaps best illustrate the working of the Institution as a missionary power.

Monthly Report from twenty-four students, of Mission Work done in various places in New York city, from Water street to Central Park, and in Brooklyn and on Blackwell's Island.

Number of services conducted or assisted in	67
" " prayer meetings " "	147
" addresses made	131
	1,629
" " week " "	662
Number superintending Sunday-schools	6
" of teachers in "	12
" scholars under their care as superintendents	
and teachers	688
Average attendance	392
Number of visits	1,132
Scriptures read to families or individuals	85
Families or individuals prayed with	132
Bibles sold or given	40
Tracts and papers distributed2-	4,890
Average attendance at mothers' meetings	10
" " sewing school	230
Number conversed with on the subject of religion	247
Number of invitations given to church and Sunday-school.	594

During the months of vacation last summer, at a time when many agents were needed for the distribution of the fund collected by the *New York Times* for the relief of the poor children of our city, a number of the students of this Institution volunteered and did efficient service in the benevolent work.

The following resolution, recently adopted, ex-

presses the sentiment of the Board in view of this voluntary service:

The Board of Trustees, having heard from the President a statement of facts concerning the relation of the House of the Evangelists to the effort made through the *Times* fund for the relief of the destitute children of our city, during the past summer, from which it appears that a large portion of the work of this enterprise, above Fourteenth street, was done by, or under the supervision of the students of the House, by whom thousands of visits were made to the abodes of the most destitute, and relief afforded in hundreds of cases of want and suffering; therefore,

Resolved, That we regard this work as illustrating the great work for which this Institution has been established, and as clearly evincing its utility and its special adaptation to meet emergencies which may arise in the care of the poor of our city.

Resolved, That we have heard with much satisfaction of the interests and self-denying devotion manifested by those students of the House who took part in this work; and that we hereby express to them the gratification afforded us by a knowledge of their labors in behalf of the poor.

THE HOUSE OF THE EVANGELISTS A SUCCESS.

As the House of the Evangelists has thus grown into more complete development, its peculiar position in the Church, and its unique character as an educational institution, are more apparent. There is no other like it. It meets a peculiar need, and its urgent claim upon the Church for recognition and support is undeniable.

The Board of Trustees, in sending out their pamphlet this year, exchange hearty congratulations with those generous subscribers who ventured largely in the undertaking when its probable success was by many seriously doubted. The Christian wisdom and sagacity, as well as benevolence in which this House

was projected and brought to its beginning, are now fully approved; and the friends of the Institution may take heart at the opening of a new year, the promise of which is not darkened by any suspicions of mistake.

Renewed and increased subscriptions are invited with confidence. Permanent endowments are looked for with strong hope—either in a building fund, or in the support of professorships or scholarships for the rapidly multiplying number of students. It is desirable that the Institution should not be left to the fluctuations of benevolent feeling, which so sensibly affect the fortunes of any enterprise depending wholly on yearly contributions.

ITS CLAIMS WIDE AS THE CHURCH.

The claims of this cause upon the interest and liberality of the Christian public are as wide as the Church. The Institution is conducted for the training, not of one class or of another class of persons, but for the training of all classes in the great redemptive work for which the whole Church is commissioned. It is not a preparatory school for ministers, alone—that is but a part of its office. It is a training-school for missionaries, in the sense in which the whole Church is missionary. Any Christian who may desire to embark with intelligent and trained ability in the work of evangelization, and who can spare, or is willing to devote the time for a careful preparation and drill in the divine work, is a proper candidate for education within its walls.

The House of the Evangelists appears before the

Church as a standing invitation and summons to all Christians to address themselves with urgent endeavor, and to fit themselves by diligent preparations for the work which no distinct and fragmentary ministries, but only the whole Church united, can accomplish.

An appeal is here made which has not been made before, and an opportunity is offered which has not before been presented.

An enterprise is to be undertaken in which the clergy, alone, have failed, and when alone, must always fail, and yet which cannot be intelligently and well done by any class, or by all classes together, without specific preparation and actual training.

The whole body of the Church in all its members is summoned, and all together are now bidden to gird themselves for the undertaking.

There is in our day—and we thank God that the time has come—an awakened desire throughout the Church to lay hold and partake in the labors and satisfactions of the great work of evangelization.

The impetus given of late years to the Sunday-schools and to various Parish Guilds and Christian Brotherhoods, to Young Men's Christian Associations, and to Sisterhoods and other associations of Christian women—all this betokens the arousing of the company of the faithful to recognize their parts and duties in the conflict with the great army and flood of evil, to meet which all our forces are needed.

THE WANT OF A SPECIFIC EDUCATION.

And yet there is in very many of the laity a reluctance to enter upon the responsible duties which they see plainly before them, from a conscious lack of that special line of education which would enable them to do efficiently what, if not done well, they are convinced had better not be done at all.

There is an obstacle, then, in the way of a general participation of the Church in the evangelization of society, which the House of the Evangelists is prepared to remove.

Its entire course, or any part of its course of Biblical, Theological, and practical missionary education, is open to all who may be susceptible of receiving it.

No question is asked whether the candidates, over and above a common school education, are little instructed or highly cultivated in literary attainments.

If they be well educated otherwise, but lacking in special Evangelical training, they may here make up the deficiency. Or if they have only a quick ordinary intelligence, beyond the rudiments of a general education, they are still gladly admitted.

CANDIDATES FOR ORDINATION.

If the special gifts of those who enter upon this course indicate that they are likely to be useful in an ordained ministry, they are encouraged to advance to this high calling, and their preparations are adapted to meet the demands which Church Authorities make upon the candidates for ordination. Moreover, the

fitness of any student for the ministry, as a profession, is here sternly tested. The education provided will prepare him to pass a strict ecclesiastical examination; and his competition in missionary efforts with many students of various capacities, will decide whether his ability to assume a leading position, as teacher and preacher, in the Church, will warrant him in seeking the pastoral office.

Only such students as shall favorably pass this test will be graduated with a view to the regular ministry; and it is confidently expected that the tone of the sacred profession will be elevated, certainly not lowered, by the men furnished to it from the House of the Evangelists.

Meanwhile, during the time devoted to the missionary training of the student, if he be able to contribute to the treasury the expenses of his education, it is well. If unable thus to defray his own expenses, the cost is assumed by the Board.

ANTICIPATIONS.

It is surely reasonable to believe that the opportunity of missionary education, which is thus presented before the Church, needs only to be clearly understood to be gladly welcomed by many eager and devoted Christian workers, who are intelligent enough to covet the gift which the providence of God is holding out to them with generous hands.

The Board who have this gift in trust, promise themselves the great joy of making hospitable room for a growing number of men and women whose hearts God hath touched with love for the lost world.

They invite and expect from the Church, Brother-

hoods and Guilds, from among Sunday-school Superintendents and Bible teachers, from Christian Associations of young men and women, and from Sisterhoods and other benevolent Christian societies, deputations of scholars, who shall come seeking to make themselves more efficient in the organizations in which they are now enlisted, and of whom there shall arise not a few shining lights whom the Church will elect to lift up on high as a torch, and bear forward in loving hands to the van of Christ's host.

With these expectations and hopes they commend their cause to the Lord, who knoweth the hearts of His chosen, and who turneth them as the rivers of water are turned.

U. T. TRACY,

Secretary.

House of the Evangelists in account with Geo. A. Crocker, Treasurer.

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1872. Dec. 31.	Dec. 31. To paid House Expenses for the year. Clothing and personal expenses of Students. Rent for the year. Salaries of Four Professors. Stationery, Printing and Advertising. House Furniture. Mr. Ray for Collecting. Insurance and Stamps on Deed, Church in 50th St. Expenses of Night College. To Balance carried down.	\$5,116 68 902 36 3,108 33 3,783 25 3,47 44 1,185 66 250 00 32 37 1,504 02 364 92 \$16,595 03	1872. Dec. 31.	Dec. 31. By Balance on hand as per Annual Report of December 39, 1871. "Total amount received per Subscription List." "Interest received on balances loaned "Collection, Church Holy Trinity \$267 54 ""Christ Church Chapel, South Brooklyn, N.Y. 60 00 "P. E. Church Society for Seamen	\$2,103 22 13,213 03 71 04 71 04 550 26 269 94 \$16,595 03 \$364 92
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(E. & O. E.)

New York, December 31, 1872.

GEO. A. CROCKER, Treasurer.

House of the Ebungelists.

SUBSCRIPTIONS FOR 1872.

Alexander, J. W	\$50	00	Field, B. H	\$25	00
Alms Box, April 1st	44	03	Fellowes, Wm	100	00
Andrews, W. L	100	00	Friend	100	00
Bliss, Geo	100	00	Greene, M. E	50	00
Barrett, Jane M	300	00	Goulding, K	17	00
Baldwin, J. C	50	00	Gray, Jno. A. C	50	00
Buchan, R. C	25	00	Griffen, J. D	25	00
Browning, W. C	100	00	Hubbell, A	20	00
Bulkley, E. B	10	00	Hastings, C. C	400	00
Brick, R. A	200	00	Hurd, S. H	100	00
Bryan, Joseph	50	00	Hodgman, A	25	00
Brown, Stewart	250	00	Hays, A. M	20	00
Barrett, W. C	200	00	Herriman, J	50	00
Brown, James M	400	00	Hurlbut, W. H	25	00
Beekman, B. F	250	00	Hayman, Miss	2	00
Cadwell, S. U,	50	00	Henderson, Annie L	5	00
Cornell, J. B	100	00	Jones, Henry R	50	00
Chamberlain, Mrs F. R. S.	50	00	Jesup, Morris K	100	00
Crane, Mrs. R. E	25	00	Johnston, John Taylor	100	00
Crocker, W. B	500	60	Kitchen, Z. H	10	00
Crocker, G. A	500	00	Ketchum, Mrs. E. B	10	00
Crocker, Mary A	10	00	Kitching, J. B	25	00
Curtis, H. W	100	00	Kissam, Miss A. B	100	00
Clapp, H. G	10	00	Kemp, Geo	100	00
Clark, D. B	25	00	Le Moyne, E. M	$\tilde{5}$	00
Dodge, W. E., Jr	100	00	Lynes, B	100	00
Dows, David	100	00	Lord, Miss E. M	10	00
De Witt, J. E	50	00	Marshall, Mrs. J. G	10	00
Dake, J. A	10	00	Meyer, C	100	00
Dake, Mrs. J. A	10	00	Marvin, J. J	50	00
Dominick, Mrs. J. W	5	00	Meeks, Joseph	25	00
De Forest, Mrs. W. H	15	00	Mowbray, John	10	00
Dodge, A. G. P	1,000	00	Mayhew, G. H	5	00
Edgar, Mrs. J	300	00	Maliew, Julia R	5	00
Ellis, Caroline S	100	00	Mayhew, W. G	5	00
Earle, John H	100	00	Moser, Wm	25	00
Fisk, Harvey	100	00	Mite	1	00
Field, Miss Grace	25	00	Morgan, J. Pierpont	150	00
Farrell, John	50	00	McBurney, R.R	20	00

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$25 \ 00$	Vanderbilt, Wm. H	$250 \ 00$
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25 00	Wadsworth, Julius	$500 \ 00$
250 00	Warren, Miss M. W	$50 \ 00$
500 00	Wood, Geo	$25 \ 00$
500 00	Wyckoff, Mrs. E. B	$300 \ 00$
50 00	Walter, Mrs. James R	$50 \ 00$
50 00	Ward, Mrs. W. P	15 00
100 60	Wolfe, John David	$550 \ 00$
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COLLECTIONS FOR NIGHT COLLEGE.

Aitken, W. B	\$10	00
Cunningham, Mrs. J	5	00
Congdon, A. B	1	00
Crane, Mrs. J. A	10	00
Collection, February 4th, Holy Trinity	75	86
" March 3d, "	213	90
Donaghe, James	1	00
Evans, Isaac	10	00
Friend	3	00
G. B. M. F	2	00
Kitching, Jno. B	20	00
Knox, Mrs. H. E.	5	00
Lawrence, J. C.		00
Mayhew, G. H.	2	50
McCarter, James	25	
Pope, Mrs. C. C.		00
Sanderson, Geo	2	00
Stearns, Mrs	5	00
Thomson, Mrs. Wm	10	00
Taylor, Frank W	5	00
Tappan, Jno	20	00
Wright, Miss Nellie		00
Warren, Miss M. W	10	
Woodworth, Mrs. D. A.		00
Wadsworth, J	100	00
Total	\$550	26
COLLECTIONS FOR BUILDING FUND		
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Burns, R	\$50	00
Collection of April 25th, Holy Trinity	139	
Culver, E. D.	20	00
St. George's Chapel, S. S.	10	
Van Brunt, Mrs	50	
Total	\$269	94



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OF THE

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1872-3.

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GRADUATES OF 1871.

. New York City.

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THOMAS J. McFADDIN,

JOHN D. ROCKWELL,
Partial Course.
ANDREW C. DUNCAN, New York City.
ANTHONY McDONOUGH,
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GRADUATES OF 1872.
JACOB H. MULLER, New York City. WILLIAM H. SKERRETT, Philadelphia, Pa.
Partial Course.
GEORGE GREEN, Boston, Mass.

OCTAVIUS PARKER, . . , , .

STUDENTS FOR 1872-73.

WILLIAM H. McKIE, ALEXANDER MAINE,	Senior Class. New Brunswick, N. Cleveland, O.
	Middle Class.
SAML. COLCORD, Jr., . JOHN D. FERGUSON,	Philadelphia, Pa New York City.
	Innior Class.
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THOMAS H. SPENCER	Prince Edward's Island.
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MISS CORNELIA TEAL	Haverstraw, N. Y

SUMMARY.

Senior Class	2
Middle Class	6
Junior Class.	28
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Total	36

Calendar for 1873.

January 3d—Spring Term Begins.

April 10-15—Easter Recess.

June 24-27—Annual Examinations.

June 29th—Annual Sermon.

September 4th—Fourth Session Begins.

December 19-22-23—Christmas Examinations.

December 24th to January 5th—Christmas Recess.

ARTICLES FOR THE GOVERNMENT OF THE HOUSE.

ADMISSION.

THE terms of admission to the privileges of the House of the Evangelists are:

Τ.

1st. A hearty reception of what are known as Evangelical views of Gospel truth.

2d. A sincere consecration to Evangelistic work amongst the neglective classes.

3d. A good common-school education.

II.

No person shall be accorded a residence in the House until he shall have produced satisfactory evidence of his moral and religious character.

HI.

A probation of three months shall in all cases precede a full admission to the House; and connection with the House shall terminate at or before the end of that period, unless the candidate gives satisfactory evidence of fitness for, and special devotion to, mission work among the masses.

COURSE OF STUDY.

Ι.

The full course of study shall occupy three years, each year comprising one session.

Ι.

There shall be a suspension of recitations during Christmas week, on Ash-Wednesday and Good Friday, on all days of public thanksgiving and fasting, and on such other days as the Committee on Admission and Instruction may order.

III.

There shall be a public examination of the students of the House during the week preceding Christmas, and also during the last week of June; and no student shall be advanced to a higher class unless he shall have satisfactorily passed the last-mentioned examination.

IV.

The studies pursued shall be as follows:

JUNIOR YEAR.

Bible History.

Evidences of Christianity.

Biblical Learning.

English Exegesis.

Mental Philosophy.

Ancient History.

Moral Philosophy.

Instruction in Sunday-School Work.

Elocution, Composition, Spelling, and Definition.

Sermonizing.

in Music.

MIDDLE YEAR.

Bible, Topical Study.

English Exegesis. Systematic Divinity.

Church History—Ante-Reformation.

Rhetoric.

Homileties.

Instruction in Mission Work.

Exercises in Elocution and Extempore Speaking.

Composition and delivery of Sermons.

Music.

SENIOR YEAR,

Bible, Analytical Study.

English Exegesis.

Systematic Divinity.

Pastoral Theology, especially adapted to work among the masses.

Church Polity and Liturgies.

Prayer-Book; its History and Teachings.

Church History-Post Reformation.

Homiletics.

Exercises in Extempore Sermonizing.

Musie.

OPTIONAL STUDIES.

Latin.

Greek.

Hebrew.

DISCIPLINE.

I.

No student shall absent himself from recitation without first being excused by the professor.

П.

Students are required to attend service once each Sunday at the Church of the Holy Trinity, unless excused by the Committee on Admission and Instruction.

111.

Students are required to attend Family Prayers, morning and evening, and the weekly Faculty Prayer-Meeting, unless excused by the Head of the House.

IV

Every student shall devote two week-day afternoons and Sunday afternoon and evening to mission work, under direction of the Superintendent of Missions.

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Students will be held responsible for the eare of their rooms, and it is expected that there will be a conscientious regard on the part of each to order and eleanliness. A continued disregard of this rule will be held a sufficient ground for discontinuing connection with the House.

VI.

Each student is expected always to consult the interests of the House, and to yield ready and cheerful assent to such domestic regulations as the Head of the House shall institute.

VII.

Every student, on his admission to the House, shall give his assent and subscribe to the following declaration and pledge.

In the presence of you, my brethren, and of God, who knoweth the heart, I do solemnly declare my conviction that I am called by the Holy Spirit to evangelistic work, and my readiness, with a glad heart, to engage in missionary labor. And I do here express to you, in the presence of the Lord, my unqualified determination to devote myself to this work; and I do pledge myself, for Jesus' sake, to seek, in every available way, such preparation as will render me an efficient laborer for Christ amongst the neglected classes. I do furthermore solemnly promise that, by the help of divine grace, I will, during my connection with this institution, faithfully obey the rules thereof, and diligently prosecute all my assigned studies, and discharge all the duties that shall devolve upon me, and also that I will uniformly cultivate moral and religious dispositions and habits, and by every means, within my proper sphere, endeavor to promote the welfare of my fellow-students, and the reputation and interests of the House.

This declaration and promise shall be read from time to time in the presence of the students of the House, for the purpose of reminding them of the solemn obligations they have assumed, and of inciting them to greater diligence in their discharge.





Form of Bequest.

Contributions for the support of the House of the Evangelists may be sent to

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